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February 9, 2001

US EPA Region VIII Attn. Mr. Paul Peronard, 8EPR-EP On-Scene Coordinator 999 18th Street, Suite 500 Denver, CO. 80202-2466

501 Mineral Avenue Libby, MT 59923

RE: US EPA Region VIII Unilateral Administrative Order (UAO) No. CERCLA-8-2000-10, Libby, Mt. Export Plant Progress Report for the period February 3, 2001 through February 9, 2001.

Dear Mr. Peronard:

Per the above referenced Unilateral Administrative Order, please find attached a progress report describing the activities that occurred during the period of February 3, 2001 through February 9, 2001 at the Libby, Mt. Export Plant.

Please call if you have any questions concerning this submittal.

Sincerely,

Mr. Jim Stout

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Paul Peronard Weekly Progress Report February 9, 2001

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Dear Mr. Peronard:

Progress Report for the Period of February 3, 2001 through February 9, 2001.

The Weekly Progress Report for the period of January 27, 2001 – February 2, 2001 was submitted to the EPA and State on February 2, 2001.

At Export Plant

Back-filling activities at the Export Plant have been discontinued for the season.

At Millwork West

- Restoration of Planer Shop nearly completed. Three rooms built per plan submitted to City of Libby and EPA. Noble Electric continues work to meet overall electrical requirements.
- A letter indicating the restoration plans for the four buildings other than the Planer Shed was submitted to the EPA on January 18, 2000.
- A quarter page ad indicating the Millwork West move continued in The Western News newspaper.
- A television ad indicating the Millwork West move continued to run.

At Mine Disposal Site

No progress to report.

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Problems and Issues

- Electrical requirements have yet to be met for the Planer Shed restoration.
- Await response for restoration plan submitted January 18, 2001.

Analytical Data Received

None

Material Movement and Disposal

• None.

Health and Safety

None.

Anticipated Developments Next Week

• It is anticipated that all electrical requirements within the Planer Shed will be satisfied.

Planned Resolutions or Anticipated Problems

• Resolve electrical requirements within Planer Shed through discussions with City of Libby, Millwork West, and electrical inspector.

Schedule

• Complete and submit draft of final report within 15 days after completion of all removal actions required under the UAO.

Respectfully,

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